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Title : CYLINDER JACKET PROFILE, METHOD OF PRODUCING AN EASY-CLEAN LAYER ON A CYLINDER JACKET PROFILE AND PRINTING PRESS

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

U.S. Patent 3,791,644 (DeMoore), dated February 12, 1974;

U.S. Patent 5,343,807 (Hackelborger et al.), dated September 6, 1994;

U.S. Patent 5,797,827 (Sondergeld), dated August 25, 1998;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application 29 14 255 (Patzelt et al.), dated November 29, 1979, single or multi layered jacket for sheet guiding cylinder;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 39 31 479 A1 (Appel), dated April 4, 1991, sheet guiding foil as a film for impression cylinders and sheet transfer cylinders in sheet offset printing machines for recto and verso printing;

German published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 195 15 393 A1 (Sondergeld), dated October 31, 1996, printing material guiding surface structure mainly for printing machine cylinder or their films;

German Patent Application DE 42 07 119 C2 (Hackelbörger et al.), dated September 16, 1993, sheet guiding printing cylinder jacket profile;

UK Patent Application GB 2 022 016 A (Patzelt et al.), dated December 12, 1979;

UK Patent Application GB 2 236 508 A (Appel), dated April 10, 1991;

German Search Report;

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications, patents and/or publications, it is because no existing translation is readily available to the applicant.

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